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AMENDMENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: W.R. Stagi Attorney Docket No.: UTLX121681  
Application No.: 10/661,081 Group Art Unit: 1762  
Filed: September 12, 2003 Examiner: D.P. Turocy  
Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR INJECTING FLUID INTO A CABLE  
HAVING FIBROUS INSULATION

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

April 14, 2005

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant respectfully requests that the shortened statutory period for a response to the outstanding Office Action dated October 14, 2004, set to expire on January 14, 2005, be extended by 3 months, to expire on April 14, 2005. In response to the Office Action, a continuation application is being filed concurrently herewith (our Docket No. UTLX-1-25148).

B. Fees Enclosed

Enclosed is our Check No. 162847 in the amount of \$1020.00 to cover the request for extension of time fee.

C. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

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Date: April 14, 2005